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For: Peptide Sequences Specific for the Hepatic Stages of P. Falciparum Bearing Epitopes Capable of Stimulating the T Lymphocytes

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In Claim 8, line 5 of the amino acid sequence. Please amend as follows:

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In Claim 12, line 16 of the formula (or page 42 of the published application, Col. 1, line 12)
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